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SUBJ: VISIT BY TEAM CONCERNING STUDY OF COCA CONSUMPTION

REF: STATE 151033

POSTPONEMENT OF VISIT OF TEAM TO STUDY COCA CONSUMPTION SHOULD ENABLE DEPARTMENT AND NIDA TO AGAIN FOCUS ON SCOPE OF STUDY WITH A VIEW TO REDUCING EMPHASIS ON EFFECTS OF COCA LEAF CHEWING. LATTER IS NOT GERMANE TO THE PILOT PROJECT IN CROP SUBSTITUTION BECAUSE WE ARE NOT CONCERNED ABOUT REDUCING CONSUMPTION IN LEAF FORM. THIS ASPECT OF STUDY MAY BE OF MEDICAL AND ACADEMIC INTEREST TO BOLIVIA, U.S. AND OTHERS, BUT WOULD BE OF LONGER DURATION THAN OTHER PORTIONS DIRECTLY SUPPORTIVE OF PILOT PROJECT AND SHOULD BE UNDERTAKEN BY NIDA AS A SEPARATE PROJECT AND PERHAPS AT ITS OWN EXPENSE. OUR MAIN CONCERN IS THAT FINDINGS OF INTEREST TO THE PILOT PROJECT MIGHT BE DELAYED BY MAKING THE SCOPE OF THE MULTI-DISCIPLINARY STUDY TOO BIG. I HAVE EXPRESSED MY CONCERNS IN GREATER DETAIL IN LETTERS TO AMBASSADOR VANCE AND TO ARA/BC MR. NICHOLSON.  
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